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|  Request For Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal | <i>Application Number</i> | 10/055,714 |
| | <i>Filing Date</i> | January 22, 2002 |
| | <i>First Named Inventor</i> | SEPETKA et al. |
| | <i>Group Art Unit</i> | 3731 |
| | <i>Examiner Name</i> | Kevin Thao Truong |
| | <i>Attorney Docket Number</i> | 005-010 |

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
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| Fee Code | Fee Code | Fee Description | |
| 1001 | 770 | 2001 385 Utility filing fee | |
| 1002 | 340 | 2002 170 Design filing fee | |
| 1003 | 530 | 2003 265 Plant filing fee | |
| 1004 | 770 | 2004 385 Reissue filing fee | |
| 1005 | 160 | 2005 80 Provisional filing fee | |

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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

| Total Claims | Independent Claims | Multiple Dependent | Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
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Large Entity Small Entity

| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description |
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| 1202 | 18 | 2202 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 |
| 1201 | 86 | 2201 | 43 | Independent claims in excess of 3 |
| 1203 | 290 | 2203 | 145 | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid |
| 1204 | 86 | 2204 | 43 | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent |
| 1205 | 18 | 2205 | 9 | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

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| 3. ADDITIONAL FEES | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
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| 1051 | 130 | 2051 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath |
| 1052 | 50 | 2052 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet |
| 1053 | 130 | 1053 130 Non-English specification |
| 1812 | 2,520 | 1812 2,520 For filing a request for reexamination |
| 1804 | 920* | 1804 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action |
| 1805 | 1,840* | 1805 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action |
| 1251 | 110 | 2251 55 Extension for reply within first month |
| 1252 | 420 | 2252 210 Extension for reply within second month |
| 1253 | 950 | 2253 475 Extension for reply within third month |
| 1254 | 1,480 | 2254 740 Extension for reply within fourth month |
| 1255 | 2,010 | 2255 1,005 Extension for reply within fifth month |
| 1401 | 330 | 2401 165 Notice of Appeal |
| 1402 | 330 | 2402 165 Filing a brief in support of an appeal |
| 1403 | 290 | 2403 145 Request for oral hearing |
| 1451 | 1,510 | 1451 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding |
| 1452 | 110 | 2452 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable |
| 1453 | 1,330 | 2453 665 Petition to revive - unintentional |
| 1501 | 1,330 | 2501 665 Utility issue fee (or reissue) |
| 1502 | 480 | 2502 240 Design issue fee |
| 1503 | 640 | 2503 320 Plant issue fee |
| 1460 | 130 | 1460 130 Petitions to the Commissioner |
| 1807 | 50 | 1807 50 Petitions related to provisional applications |
| 1806 | 180 | 1806 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt |
| 8021 | 40 | 8021 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) |
| 1809 | 770 | 2809 385 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a)) |
| 1810 | 770 | 2810 385 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b)) |
| 1801 | 770 | 2801 385 Request for Continued Examination (RCE) |
| 1802 | 900 | 1802 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application |
| Other fee (specify) _____ | | 385 |

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